ments concerned, each State Government has a text-book preparation/prescription agency of its own. The bias against women reflected in the text-books of the States referred to in part (a) of the question has been brought to the notice of the States concerned. All the States have been requested to revise their text-books to bring them in conformity with the Education Policy as has been done by the NCERT. It is expected that these new sets of text-books will not reflect any bias against the women.

Delhi colleges in the red

3260. SHRI SURESH PACHOURI: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the University Grants Commission has prepared a list of twenty Colleges in Delhi which are in the red;

(b) if so, what are the main reasons put forward by them and whether any suggestion in this regard has been made; and

(c) if so, what are the details thereof and what steps are being considered in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENTS OF EDUCATION AND CULTURE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI L. P. SHAHI): (a) No, Sir.

(b) and (c) Do not arise.

Chartered Buses flying in the capital without permits

3261. SHRI ANAND PRAKASH GAUTAM: Will the Minister of SURFACE TRANSPORT be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government are aware that a large number of so called chartered buses are operating in the Capital without any permit or licences; and

(b) if so, what action Government propose to take in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF SURFACE TRANSPORT (SHRI RAJESH PILOT): (a) Yes, Sir. Instances of this nature have come to our notice.

(b) Directorate of Transport, Delhi Administration who are the authorities to regulate the transport operations in Delhi have been asked to intensify checking and take necessary action against the offenders, in terms of the provisions of the Motor Vehicles Act, 1939.

India's efforts to solve the Kampuchean problem

3262. SHRI MURLIDHAR CHANDRAKANT BHANDARE: Will the Minister of EXTERNAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Minister of State for External Affairs had paid a three day visit to Indonesia and Thailand recently this year;

(b) whether Governments of those countries had suggested that India should play a leading role in the finding a political solution to the Kampuchean problem;

(c) if so, what is Government's reaction thereto;

(d) whether any concrete proposal for finding a political solution to the Kampuchean problem has been prepared by India; and

(e) if so, what are the details thereof and what steps are being taken by Government of India to get the proposal accepted by all the concerned foreign Governments?